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SUBJECT: YIN HE INSPECTION: [REDACTED]

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REF: (A) STATE 261852, (B) DHAHRAN 1345,
(C) SEDNEY-HILL-PRATT 8/28/93 TELCON, (D) STATE
250098, (E) BEIJING 29381

1. SECRET - ENTIRE TEXT.

2. SUMMARY: A PRC MFA OFFICIAL CALLED US LATE AUGUST
28 TO QUESTION THE POSITION OF THE U.S. INSPECTORS
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FOLLOWING CONSULTATIONS WITH DEPARTMENT AND AMCONSUL DHAHRAN, IT WAS DETERMINED THIS ISSUE DID NOT REQUIRE AN IMMEDIATE RESPONSE. WE PLAN TO FOLLOW UP WITH THE PRC FOREIGN MINISTRY TOMORROW (8/29 LOCAL TIME) USING REF A GUIDANCE, OR ANY ADDITIONAL POINTS FORWARDED BEFORE THAT TIME. END SUMMARY.

2. PRC MFA DISARMAMENT DIVISION DEPUTY CHIEF WANG JUN CALLED EMBASSY LATE AFTERNOON AUGUST 28 TO CONVEY THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE. STATING THAT HE WAS SPEAKING ON INSTRUCTIONS, WANG READ THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:

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3. WANG CONFIRMED THAT HE WAS OPERATING BASED ON REPORTS FROM THE CHINESE TEAM OF PREVIOUS DAYS DISCUSSIONS -- NOT RAISING AN URGENT PROBLEM. HE ALSO CONFIRMED THAT HIS MESSAGE REFERRED TO THE AUG 17 MEETING IN BEIJING (SEE REFS D/E). WANG SAID HE WOULD BE AVAILABLE FOR A RESPONSE AT THE FOREIGN MINISTRY UNTIL LATE IN THE EVENING AUGUST 28 AND ALL DAY AUGUST 29. WE PROMISED TO PASS HIS MESSAGE TO WASHINGTON AND GET A RESPONSE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

4. DURING REFTELCON WE LEARNED THAT, TO THE BEST KNOWLEDGE OF PARTICIPANTS, THE INSPECTION OF THE "YIN HE" CARGO WAS PROCEEDING AT THAT TIME WITHOUT INCIDENT

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5. FOLLOWING REFTELCON, WE INFORMED WANG THAT WE HAD BEEN IN TOUCH WITH RESPONSIBLE USG OFFICIALS AND THERE DID NOT SEEM TO BE ANY IMMEDIATE PROBLEMS WITH THE INSPECTION. WE TOLD HIM WE WOULD MAKE A FORMAL REPORT TO WASHINGTON OF THE CHINESE CONCERNS AND GIVE HIM A RESPONSE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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IF THERE ARE
ADDITIONAL POINTS WE SHOULD MAKE TO THE CHINESE PLEASE

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INSPECTION OF THIRD COUNTRY CARGO

INFORM PRIOR TO THAT TIME BY NIACT IMMEDIATE CABLE OR
BY TELEPHONE TO EMBASSY POLMILOFF SEDNEY. -- EMBASSY
AFTER HOURS NUMBER 86-1-532-1910 OR [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] NOTE: LOCAL TIME IS 12 HOURS AHEAD OF
WASHINGTON TIME. ROY

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